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## AFROS TO MEET HERE SUNDAY OCT. 20

### To Celebrate 12th Anniversary of Prof. Edwards, Supreme Vice-President, With Afro-American Sons and Daughters

Officers and members of the Afro-American Sons & Daughters throughout the state will flock to Mound Bayou Sunday, October 20th for an all day public program, membership drive and celebration. This day will be known as "Afro Day Festival." Among those to appear on program are: Hon. T. J. Huddleston; Dr. L. T. Miller, Supreme President and Medical Director; Prof. I. E. Edwards, Supreme Vice-President; Mr. F. C. Huddleston Supreme Inspector; Prof. J. H. Mosley, Principal Grenada High School; Prof. L. M. Harper, Principal Port Gibson High School; Prof. C. M. Greene, Principal Mound Bayou High School and Prof. James Miller, Instructor, Delta Institute.

Musical numbers will be rendered by Mrs. Charlie W. Stewart, Yazoo City; Mr. T. S. Douglass, Cleveland; Mr. Andrew Polk, Mound Bayou; New Jerusalem Choir, Drew; Grenada Glee Club and Quartettes, Grenada; Delta Institute Quartette, Doddsville and many others. See the entire program elsewhere in this issue.

A very interesting feature will be the Juvenile Programs at 10:00 A. M. Our children play an important part in our lives and they will progress in direct proportion to the interest and co operation we give them. Be present and give them a big hand.

The thrilling night session will be a choir, Reading, Solo and Quartette Contest. All desiring to take part in contest should notify Prof. I. E. Edwards, Mound Bayou, Miss., at once. Admission to the night program will be 10c to all. All meetings will be held in the Mound Bayou School Auditorium.

In connection with this meeting will be the 12th Anniversary of Prof. I. E. Edwards, Supreme Vice President, with the organization. The Lodges he has served will give expression of his wonderful work for the past twelve years.

### Vice-President



### Prof. I. E. Edwards

First Supreme Vice-President of the Afro-American Sons & Daughters, whose 12th anniversary with the organization will be celebrated in Mound Bayou, Sunday October 20. The celebration will be sponsored by the Local Lodges.

### Silas Green Show To Be Here October 18

Mr. Charles P. Collier brings to Mound Bayou, Friday night, October 18, one of the cleanest and classiest aggregations of stage stars and actors ever to be presented under canvas for local show-goers' entertainment.

The Silas Green show presents a minstrel show plus; its acts are clean and entertaining throughout, it also has educational features. This is a high type entertainment that will please even the most critical, young and old. The artists, all colored, are the best in the business and demand the attention and praise of the masses.

Come on, Mound Bayou fun lovers, let's turn out and give these Negro artists a boost.

### LOCALS

Among the business callers to our office were: Revs. Wm. Poole and D. C. Chambers, of Ruleville, Scribner and Drew of Shaw, J. C. Isaac, Prof. I. E. Edwards, Revs. G. W. Crayton and J. B. Bell, Mr. Elijah Conwell, Prof. C. M. Greene, Mr. S. T. Jones, Mrs. Elijah Scott, Mr. Frank Perkins, Mrs. Bessie Slaughter, Miss Leola Benson, Mr. E. R. Weaver and Mr. Tim Downey.

Mr. Roosevelt Harris returned to Leland, Wednesday, after spending one day at home.

Rev. S. W. Foster of Greenville, pastor of Trinity Episcopal Church was in town this week visiting friends and arranging for the services to be held at that church, Sunday October 20, at 3:00 o'clock p. m.

Mr. M. C. Coleman who works on a government project at Clarksdale, was in town Wednesday.